## **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING**

Pursuant to the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, the Arkansas Natural Resources Commission is proposing new rules to implement Act 532 of 2007, the Surplus Poultry Litter Removal Incentives Cost Share Program, Ark. Code §§ 15-20-1201-1206. The program will provide money from the Arkansas Water Development fund at a rate not to exceed \$15 per ton to purchasers of excess poultry litter from Northwest and West Arkansas, areas declared by the General Assembly to be Nutrient Surplus Areas, for transport to parts of Arkansas where the nutrient value of the litter is needed primarily for agricultural purposes.

A public hearing on the draft Rules Title XI will be held on July 25, 2007, 2:00 p.m., at the address below. Oral and written comments will be accepted at the hearing. In the interest of accuracy, written statements are preferred and will be considered if received by July 31, 2007, at 4:30 p.m. These rules are posted on the Commission's website at <a href="www.anrc.arkansas.gov">www.anrc.arkansas.gov</a> or may be requested by telephoning the Commission's legal section at the number below.

Given this 27th day of June, 2007.

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